

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

SUSAN GLEASON, CANDI GABRIELSE,  
Individually, and as representatives of a Class  
of Participants and Beneficiaries  
of the Bronson Healthcare Group, Inc.  
403(b) Tax Sheltered Matching Plan,

Plaintiffs,

v.

BRONSON HEALTHCARE GROUP, INC.,

and

BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BRONSON  
HEALTHCARE GROUP, INC.,

and

JOHN DOE 1-30,

Defendants

Case No. 1:21-cv-00379-HYJ-PJG

Judge: Hon. Hala Y. Jarbou

Magistrate Judge Phillip J. Green

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### **JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Plaintiffs Susan Gleason and Candi Gabrielse (“Plaintiffs”), and Defendants Bronson Healthcare Group, Inc. and the Board of Directors of Bronson Healthcare Group, Inc. (“Defendants”) (Plaintiffs and Defendants collectively referred to as the “Parties”), through their respective counsel, file this Joint Status Report pursuant to the July 27, 2021 Joint Stipulation and Order Staying Matter to Allow Parties to Engage in Voluntary Mediation [ECF. No. 11, PageID.70-73]:

1. On November 2, 2021, the Parties participated in a mediation before Robert A. Meyer, a nationally known JAMS mediator.
2. The Parties agreed to a settlement in principle, that will resolve this ERISA class action in its entirety.
3. The Parties are collaborating on a comprehensive settlement agreement and other pleadings that will effectuate this class action settlement.
4. The Parties anticipate filing a Motion for Preliminary Approval of Settlement together with all exhibits and ancillary pleadings on or before December 20, 2021.
5. In conjunction with the Motion for Preliminary Approval of Settlement, on or before December 20, 2021, the parties will submit a proposed class notice, a proposed schedule for the mailing of class notice, a proposed schedule for the filing of class member objections (if any), a proposed date for the final fairness hearing, and other matters to be accomplished to complete this ERISA class actions settlement.
6. The Parties request that the previously entered stay [ECF. No. 11, PageID.70-73] remain in effect until the settlement is finalized.

**SO ORDERED** that the Stay of these Proceedings will remain in effect while the Parties complete all tasks necessary to finalize the settlement of this matter. Motion for Preliminary Approval of Settlement, or a joint status report, to be filed on or before **December 20, 2021**.

Dated: November 23, 2021

/s/ Hala Y. Jarbou  
Hon. Hala Y. Jarbou  
United States District Judge

**WE HEREBY AGREE TO THE CONTENTS:**

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